

House Resolution No.

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State student athletes who have demonstrated exceptional training, skills, and determination through the competitive season; and

Whereas, Savannah R-III High School Lady Savages culminated an outstanding year by winning Sectionals competition with a 54 to 38 trouncing of Kearney High School on February 27, 2002; and

Whereas, losing to longstanding arch-rival Notre Dame de Sion on March 2, 2002, in Quarterfinal action, the Lady Savages garnered a very respectable 23-5 win-loss record during the regular and playoff portions of the season; and

Whereas, for the past four years, the Lady Savages have not been beaten by a Middle Empire Conference League school and have racked up a 52-0 record against League opponents; and

Whereas, in the past five years, the Savannah Lady Savages have placed second at the State Tournament three times, won Districts and Sectionals all five years, and won Quarterfinals three times; and

Whereas, effectively coached by Kevin Kelley with assistance from John Schulenberg, the Lady Savages are made up of Angela Campbell, Nikki Garner, Jodi Esely, Mindi Bushbom, Caysie Heil, Jane Porter, Kati Ussary, Hollie Schindler, Emily Copeland, Kelly Lewis, Melody Petitt, Cassie Krull, and Jenna Houston:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the stellar season and impressive accomplishments of the Savannah R-III Lady Savages basketball team members and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes as they look forward to another year of achievements after rising to the level of Sectional winners in 2001-2002 Class 3A competition; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the Savannah R-III High School Lady Savages basketball program.

Offered by _____
Representative Daniel J. Hegeman
District No. 5

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker